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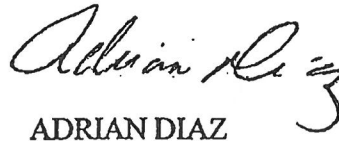
COUNTY OF HAMPDEN : ss.:)

ADRIAN DIAZ, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says:

1. I testified as a witness at the trial of Jabbar Collins in 1995.
2. Before testifying, I was on three years' probation for a drug case in Brooklyn, New York.
1. I moved to Puerto Rico without the permission or knowledge of the Probation Department.
1. I moved for personal reasons having nothing to do with the Collins case.
2. I was not threatened by anyone connected to Mr. Collins before I moved to Puerto Rico and fear for my safety played no part in my decision to move to Puerto Rico.
1. When detectives from the Brooklyn District Attorney's Office found me in Puerto Rico, I initially was afraid they were there to arrest me for violating my probation and I expressed my fear that I would be arrested.
1. Before agreeing to return to New York to testify, I was assured by the police or the prosecutors who had come to Puerto Rico that they would take care of my problem with the Probation Department and that my probation would not be revoked.
1. The D.A.'s Office told me after my testimony that in fact the prosecutors

had contacted the Probation Department and arranged that I would not have my probation revoked.

1. I am providing this affidavit voluntarily and of my own free will.


ADRIAN DIAZ